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KARLENE CORT,

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Plaintiff,

V.

ORDER GRANTING JOINT

MOTION FOR REMAND

JO ANNE B. BARNHART,

Commissioner of Social

Security,

Defendant.

The parties have filed a stipulation for remand of the above captioned case to the Commissioner for further administrative proceedings. (Ct. Rec. 29). The parties have consented to proceed before a magistrate judge. (Ct. Rec. 4). After considering the stipulation,

IT IS ORDERED that the above-captioned case be remanded for further administrative proceedings. Upon remand, the case will be heard before a new ALJ. The ALJ will re-consider the combined effects of the Plaintiff's impairments, including chronic fatigue syndrome ("CFS"), sleep apnea, dysthymia, provisional personality disorder and accompanying impairments, and any other impairments evident from the updated record. The ALJ will reconsider the opinions of Drs. Williams (AR 226-229), Buckner and Van Voorhis (AR 169-171), Schultz (AR 166), Pascualy (AR 183-85), and Buchwald

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(AR 186-189), as well as the RFC assessment by the state agency psychologists (AR 253-254). The ALJ will re-evaluate Plaintiff's credibility pursuant to SSR 96-7p and the regulations. If an on the record fully favorable decision is not issued, the ALJ will hold a new hearing and, if necessary, obtain supplemental vocational expert testimony. The ALJ will make a new determination as to Plaintiff's disability, taking all evidence into account, and issue a new decision.

This Court hereby reverses the Commissioner's decision under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) with a remand of the cause to the Commissioner for further proceedings. See Melkonyan v. Sullivan, 501 U.S. 89 (1991).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

- 1. The parties Joint Motion to Remand (Ct. Rec. 29) is GRANTED.
 - 2. Judgment shall be entered for the PLAINTIFF.
- 3. An application for attorney fees may be filed by separate motion.
- 4. The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order, forward copies to counsel, and thereafter shall **close** this file.

DATED this _____ 7th __day of March, 2006.

S/ Michael W. Leavitt

MICHAEL W. LEAVITT

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE